

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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LAUREN BICKFORD-BUSHEY

Plaintiffs,

v.

GREYHOUND LINES, INC., and THE GOODYEAR
TIRE & RUBBER COMPANY

Defendants.

**ANSWER TO THIRD-PARTY
COMPLAINT**

08 CIV 4465 (PKL)

[Related to
06 CIV 13371 (PKL)]

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GREYHOUND LINES, INC.,

Third-Party Plaintiff,

v.

MOTOR COACH INDUSTRIES, INC., and UGL
UNICCO, Formerly Known as UNICCO Service
Company,

Third-Party Defendants.

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Defendant, UNICCO Service Company d/b/a UGL Unicco s/h/a UGL UNICCO, Formerly
Known As UNICCO Service Company, by its attorneys QUIRK AND BAKALOR, P.C., sets forth
the following upon information and belief:

FIRST: Denies having knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to any
of the allegations contained in the paragraphs of the Third-Party complaint numbered "1", "2", "3",
"4", "5", "16", "17", "18", "19", "20", "21", "22", "51", "54", "55", "67" and "70".

SECOND: Denies each and every allegation contained in the paragraphs of the Third-
Party complaint numbered "6", "7" and "71".

THIRD: Refers paragraph "10" and "11" of the Third-Party complaint to this Court as
said paragraphs contain conclusions of the law to which no response is required.

FOURTH: Denies having knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to any of the allegations contained in the paragraphs of the Third-Party complaint numbered "12", "13", "14", "15", "23", "24", "25", "26", "27", "28", "29", "30", "31", "32", "33", "34", "37", "47", "48", "49", "50", "53", "63", "64", "65" and "66" and refers all issues of contract interpretation and law contained therein to this Court.

FIFTH: Denies each and every allegation contained in the paragraphs of the Third-Party complaint numbered "35" and "36" except admits that this answering defendant did not accept GREYHOUND LINES, INC.'s demand for indemnity and refers all issues of the law contained therein to this Court.

SIXTH: Denies each and every allegation contained in the paragraphs of the Third-Party complaint numbered "38", "39", "41", "42", "44", "45", "52", "57", "58", "60", "61", "68" and "69" and refers all issues of contract interpretation and law contained therein to this Court.

**AS AND FOR A FIRST, SEPARATE
AND COMPLETE AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE**

SEVENTH: The limitations of New York State CPLR Article 16 apply to this action.

**AS AND FOR A CROSS-CLAIM OVER AND AGAINST DEFENDANTS
THE GOODYEAR RUBBER AND TIRE COMPANY and MOTOR COACH
INDUSTRIES, INC.**

EIGHTH: If the plaintiff were caused to sustain damages at the time and place set forth in the plaintiff's verified complaint through any carelessness, recklessness or negligence, other than the plaintiff's own carelessness, recklessness or negligence, then said damages were sustained by reason of the carelessness, recklessness or negligence and/or acts of omission or commission of defendant, THE GOODYEAR RUBBER AND TIRE COMPANY and Third-Party Defendant MOTOR COACH INDUSTRIES, INC, and if any judgment is recovered herein against this answering defendants, this answering defendants will be thereby damaged.

NINTH: By reason of the forgoing, defendant, THE GOODYEAR RUBBER AND TIRE COMPANY and Third-Party defendant MOTOR COACH INDUSTRIES, INC. will be liable to the plaintiffs for the full amount of any recovery herein by the plaintiff, or for that proportion thereof caused by the relative responsibility of defendant, THE GOODYEAR RUBBER AND TIRE COMPANY and Third-Party Defendant MOTOR COACH INDUSTRIES, INC. are bound to pay any and all UNICCO Service Company d/b/a UGL Unicco, attorneys' fees, costs of investigation and disbursements.

WHEREFORE, defendant UNICCO Service Company d/b/a UGL Unicco s/h/a UGL UNICCO, Formerly Known As UNICCO Service Company, demands judgment dismissing the third-party complaint of the defendant/third-party plaintiff, and demands judgment on its cross claim together with the costs, disbursements and attorneys' fees of this action.

Dated: New York, New York
July 16, 2008

Yours, etc.

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The grounds of my belief as to all matters not stated upon my own knowledge are as follows:

I affirm that the foregoing statements are true, under the penalties of perjury.

Dated:

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STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF

SS.:

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say: I am

☐ Individual Verification in the action; I have read the foregoing

and know the contents thereof; the same is true to my own knowledge, except

☐ Corporate Verification as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe it to be true.

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corporation and a party in the within action; I have read the foregoing

and know the contents thereof; and the same is true to my own knowledge,

except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged upon information and belief, and as to those matters I believe it to be true. This verification is made by me because the above party is a corporation and I am an officer thereof.

The grounds of my belief as to all matters not stated upon my own knowledge are as follows:

Sworn to before me on

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STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF

New York

SS.:

(If more than one box is checked—indicate after names type of service used.)

I, the undersigned, being sworn, say: I am not a party to the action, am over 18 years of age and reside at Valley Stream, N.Y.

July 16, 2008

Answer to Third-Party Complaint

On ☒

I served the within

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Overnight Delivery Service

by dispatching a copy by overnight delivery to each of the following persons at the last known address set forth after each name below.

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Sworn to before me on July 16, 2008

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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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GREYHOUND LINES, INC. and THE GOODYEAR TIRE
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AND OTHER ACTIONS

ANSWER TO THIRD-PARTY COMPLAINT

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Signature (Rule 130-1.1-a)

Print name beneath

Service of a copy of the within is hereby admitted.

Attorney(s) for

Dated: _____

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:

☐ NOTICE OF ENTRY

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duly entered in the office of the clerk of the within named court on

☐ NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT

that an order
will be presented for settlement to the HON.
within named Court, at
on _____ at _____ M.

Dated,

of which the within is a true copy
one of the judges of the

Yours, etc.

QUIRK AND BAKALOR, P.C.